GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – Prisons Department - District Jail, Kurnool – Escape of One remand Prisoner No.7193 by name Nallabothula Kulai @ Nani from District Jail, Kurnool - Disciplinary action initiated against Sri K.Ghane Naik, Additional Superintendent of Jails working as Superintendent, District Jail, Kurnool and Sri M.Nagaraju, Jailor, District Jail, Kurnool under Rule-20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991 – Changing of Inquiry Officer – Orders – Issued.

HOME (PRISONS & FIRE) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.1232 **Dated: 30.10.2023.**
Read the following:

1. G.O.Rt No.981, Home (Prisons & Fire) Department, dated: 05.09.2023.
2. From the DG of Prisons &CS, A.P., Mangalagiri, Lr. No. Estt-2/127/2022, dated: 12-10-2023.

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ORDER:

In the reference 1st read above, Government has appointed Sri M.R. Ravi Kiran, Deputy Inspector General of Prisons, as the Inquiring Authority to inquire into charges framed against Sri K.Ghane Naik, Additional Superintendent of Jails working as Superintendent, District Jail, Kurnool and Sri M.Nagaraju, Jailor, District Jail, Kurnool.

2. In the reference 2nd read above, the Director General of Prisons and Correctional Services, Andhra Pradesh, Mangalagiri, has stated that Sri M.R. Ravi Kiran, Deputy Inspector General of Prisons has already made the Initial/preliminary Inquiry and submitted his report and now the same officer was appointed as Inquiry Officer by the Government, which may arrive malafide intension and new facts will not be found in this case.

3. The Director General of Prisons and Correctional Services, Andhra Pradesh, has therefore requested the Government to change the Inquiry Officer and appoint Sri S.Rahul, Superintendent of Jails, Central Prison, Rajamahendravaram as Inquiry Officer in place of Sri M.R. Ravi Kiran, Deputy Inspector General of Prisons.

4. In view of the circumstances stated above, Government in exercise of the powers conferred under sub-rule (2) of Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991, hereby, appoint Sri S.Rahul, Superintendent of Jails, Central Prison, Rajamahendravaram as Inquiry Officer in place of Sri M.R. Ravi Kiran, Deputy Inspector General of Prisons to inquire into the charges framed against the aforesaid Charged Officers.

5. The Inquiry Authority shall conduct the inquiry as per APCS (CCA) Rules, 1991 and submit his report **within three months**.

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6. The Director General of Prisons and Correctional Services, Andhra Pradesh, Mangalagiri, shall provide the required material to the Inquiry Officer for conducting regular inquiry and its finalization.

7. The receipt of the G.O., shall be acknowledged.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

HARISH KUMAR GUPTA
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Sri S.Rahul, Superintendent of Jails, Central Prison, Rajamahendravaram
cum Inquiry Officer - **through** the Director General of Prisons and Correctional Services, Andhra Pradesh, Mangalagiri.
Sri M.R. Ravi Kiran, Deputy Inspector General of Prisons,
- **through** the Director General of Prisons and Correctional Services, Andhra Pradesh, Mangalagiri.
Sri I.N.H.Prakash, Additional Superintendent of Jails, cum-Presenting Officer,
- **through** the Director General of Prisons and Correctional Services, Andhra Pradesh, Mangalagiri.
The Director General of Prisons and Correctional Services,
Andhra Pradesh, Mangalagiri.
SF/SC.

//FORWARDED:: BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER